

## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Harrington, et al.

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COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR NON-TARGETED

ACTIVATION OF ENDOGENOUS GENES

February 19, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

## AMENDMENT AND REMARKS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 AND 1.115

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2001, the period for responding to which having been extended three months to February 16, 2002, the Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

## **AMENDMENT**

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 59, 60 and 110-112 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the remaining claims as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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